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RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION MAILED SEPTEMBER 27, 2002

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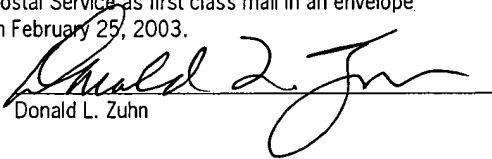
Dear Sir:

Please consider the following amendments and remarks in response to the Office Action mailed September 27, 2002. Claim 28 is cancelled.

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